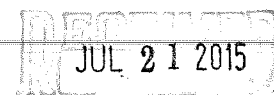


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Freedom of Information Officer
U.S. EPA, Region 5
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Re: Freedom of Information Act Request: Lusher Street Groundwater
Contamination Site

Dear Sir or Madam:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA"), 5 U.S.C. § 552, I hereby request a copy of all communications sent by or received by the Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") (including, but not limited to Responses to CERCLA Section 104(e) information requests) to or from persons (or their counsel) that (1) the EPA has named as potentially responsible party ("PRP") under CERCLA for the Lusher Street Groundwater Contamination Site in Elkhart, Indiana; (2) to whom the EPA has sent a CERCLA Section 104(e) information request regarding the Lusher Street Groundwater Contamination Site; or (3) to whom the EPA has sent a general or special notice of liability letter regarding the Lusher Street Groundwater Contamination Site. That list of persons includes, but is not limited to, the following:

Anco Products, Inc.
Altas Chemical-Milling
Atlas Die, LLC
B-D Industries, Inc.
Elkhart Plating
Gaska Tape, Inc.
Holland Metal Fab, Inc.
Sturgis Iron & Metal Co.
Walerko Tool & Engineering Corp.

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If this request is denied in whole or part, please justify the denial of any portion of this request, as well as any and all deletions, by reference to specific exemptions of the Act.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation. We understand that there may be charges for the copies of documents responsive to this FOIA request. We are willing to pay reasonable duplication fees for the processing of this request. If you have any questions concerning this request, please feel free to contact me at (317) 713-3414.

Sincerely,



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cc: Thomas Krueger, Associate Regional Counsel

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